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THE ATTRACTIONS OF A FIRE

BULLY FOR MAINE.

Chairman Manly has sent the following telegram to the editor of the New York Tribune: The result of to-day's election is a larger Republican majority than was anticipated—the largest, indeed, given in the State for the past fifteen years. We expected 7,000 or 8,000 plurality. The figures at this hour (11 o'clock) indicate a plurality for Bodwell of not less than 12,000, and possibly 14,000. We have carried every Congressional District; also, two-thirds to three-fourths of the Legislature, thus securing a United States Senator and county officers probably in fourteen of the sixteen counties of the State. The Republican plurality in Augusta is the largest ever known, being more than 700 out of a total vote of 1,800. The total vote of the State will be above 137,000, which is extraordinarily large for an off year. Out of this I figure that the third party vote will not exceed 3,500, far less than was expected by the leaders of the movement.

The Second Comptroller of the Treasury has given an opinion in regard to the war claims of the State of Ohio, in which he holds that whatever necessary stores and supplies were furnished by that State, for its sick and wounded soldiers, employed in the Federal service in the war of the rebellion, and whatever hospital quarters were furnished by the State for the care of such soldiers, including the necessary cost of transportation from the field to the hospital, are reimbursable under provisions of acts of July 17 and 27, 1861.

RAILROAD FARE TO NEW YORK.—The Canadian Pacific Railroad has made a low rate for passengers to New York. It has established a round trip rate of \$110, the ticket good for thirty days, and a rate of \$120, good for sixty days. The regular single-trip rate to New York has also been reduced. It is thought that this action by the Canadian Road will produce a general reduction on all the transcontinental lines this winter.

Bribing One's Way to the Senate.

The San Francisco Bulletin says: Bribery in a new form is menacing the best interests of California. Great men practice bribery in its "new form." It is not indictable, and hence is a safe "form" of bribery. But it is not "good form," as a statement of how it is managed must convince all men of intelligence. The new form of bribery is this: The Senatorial candidate seeks to get men elected to the Legislature who will vote for him. He starts agents out over the country to find the right kind of men to suit his purpose. He finds such men but they are invariably "poor men," who cannot afford to pay the expense of running for the Legislature. Our Senatorial candidate is rich but not proud. On the contrary, he is the friend of the poor men and ready to lend them a helping hand, provided they want helping on the way to the Legislature. He volunteers to pay the "necessary" expenses for procuring nominations and for carrying on the canvass. He will pay just as much to help a candidate for the Assembly as one for the Senate, and all the return expected from the candidate is a mere promise of a vote for United States Senator in case of election to the Legislature. This kind of approach tempts the ambition of poor candidates and insures grateful remembrance. It is not by law made bribery. It is only soul-selling and most damnable treason of a moral nature. The man who will resort to this kind of bribery to secure a seat in the Senate is in fact as much a meaner man than Vasquez or Black Bart, as the bold highwayman is superior to the sneak thief. For all that, there are such men now at large in California, and unspeakable degradation can only result from their success.

The Pioche Record says: W. E. F. Deal announces himself as a Democratic candidate for the United States Senatorship. This is just as much as to say that Senator Fair is not an aspirant for re-election. Candidates who will be on the Democratic ticket this fall must not rely on Senator Fair's money-bags to elect them to office. They will have to crawl into office by their own exertions.

THE DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

The Enterprise says: Putting aside the platitudes of the platform of the late Democratic Convention at Elko, we come to some of the matters therein set forth that are of some practical interest to the people of this State. The President and his Administration are indorsed in the following words: "President Cleveland, in his wise, conservative and patriotic administration of our public affairs, both foreign and domestic, challenges our highest admiration, except in following the beaten path of his Republican predecessors and the policy of the Republican party on the silver question, in disregard of the cherished principles of the National Democratic party." That is to say, we the representatives of the Democratic party of Nevada, in convention assembled, approve the policy of the President and his Administration in shutting up the Mint at Carson and thereby destroying to the best of their ability the profitable working of our mines in this State. This very damaging act to our principal industry is thus approved, although the Mint at the time it was closed down was actually carried on at a profit to the Treasury of the National Government, furnishing profitable employment to a large force of employes, at the city of Carson, and thus disbursing considerable sums of money in the State for labor and supplies. And yet this unnecessary, uncalled for suicidal act so injurious to our principal industry "challenges our highest admiration." It is certainly desirable for the mine owners, miners and all persons whose business interests are dependent on the profitable development of the mining industry of this State to know and bear in mind the fact that the Democratic party of Nevada is of the opinion that the closing of the Mint of this State is an act which challenges our (their) highest admiration." It is hardly necessary to say that the closing of the mines of this State would not only throw many men out of profitable employment, but would greatly diminish the present prosperity of the State, and would depreciate the value of all other property in Nevada. Any act that has a tendency to cripple our mining operations will hardly challenge the highest admiration of the sensible voters of the Silver State at the ensuing election. As the Administration of Cleveland is endorsed except on the silver question it is fair to presume that the small, penny wise and pound foolish proceedings by which the mail facilities of this State were cut off and the people in the remote settlements were deprived of their accustomed mail facilities challenges the highest admiration of the Democratic party. If these acts, so detrimental to our prosperity are the subject of so much admiration to the Democratic party the question might be asked what acts would incur its censure. There are several more gems of Statesmanship in this remarkable document (the Democratic platform) to which attention will be given in a future article.

THE RENO PRIMARIES.—The Carson Tribune of Monday says:

The result of the primary election at Reno on Saturday last took everyone by surprise, as it was generally expected that C. C. Powning would surely carry his own county, but as Robbie Burns says, "the best concerted plans of men and mice at gang a'leg." Most certainly the loss of his own county's support will greatly tend to destroy his prestige in the Republican party and whilst expressing admiration for the pluck of our young friend we realize that he must have made some egregious mistakes or he would have done better than he seems to have done. The probabilities are that General Powning will realize the fact that he is practically out of the Senatorial contest and per consequence the fight will be narrowed down. Powning received a Waterloo at the Republican primaries in Washoe county on Saturday. His ticket for State delegates was entirely snowed under, while he succeeded in beating only one man on the Boardman-Thompson county ticket.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.—The Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, called in extra session for the purpose of examining into the accounts of John H. Harney, ex-Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, who was credited with sundry shortages, adjourned sine die last evening after concluding its labors. A thorough examination of the accounts showed a shortage of less than \$500, and when certain credits are allowed, it is believed the delinquency will be very little, if any. Grand Chancellor Batchelder and the Executive Committee of the Grand Lodge were sustained by the Grand Lodge in everything relative to the action taken by them. It was the sense of the Grand Lodge that no criminal prosecution be had against Mr. Harney, and that he be permitted to make good any deficiency that may exist. In adjourning, the members of the grand body parted with assurances that harmony and peace would prevail, and that the Order would strengthen, notwithstanding the little troubles it has lately passed through.—S. F. Post, September 8th.

Ex-Senator McDonald says Indiana will go Democratic by a large majority.

THE INDIAN SCHOOL AGAIN.—A Free Lance reporter last week interviewed Senator J. P. Jones and Congressman William Woodburn relative to the proposed National School for our Nevada Indians. Both of these Nevada representatives just before they left Washington for home interviewed U. S. Commissioner Aitken. The Commissioner thinks something should be done in this matter. If Nevada will furnish the lot and building, Commissioner Aitken will set aside money for the maintenance and support of the school. Steps will be taken to ascertain just what these conditions are and to try to meet them.

SPECIAL PREMIUMS.—Secretary Stoddard will soon call on the business men of Reno in order to give them a better chance to offer special premiums for the coming State Fair. There is no better way of advertising than to follow the above suggestions, and those intending to offer premiums should do so as soon as possible, in order that the same can be published for the information of those desiring to compete. Mrs. L. C. Hessel offers a stylish Winter hat for the most beautiful ribbon tidy made by a young lady under 18 years of age. To be competed for during the State Fair.

SAN FRANCISCO MEAT MARKET.—Following are rates for whole carcasses from slaughterers to dealers:

Beef—First quality, 5½¢ @ 6¢; second quality, 4½¢ @ 5¢; third quality, 3½¢ @ 4½¢ @ 5¢.
Veal—Large 6 @ 7¢; small, 7½¢ @ 8½¢ @ 9¢.
Mutton—Quotable at 4½¢ @ 5¢ @ 6¢.
Lamb—Quotable at 6 @ 7¢ @ 8¢.
Pork—Live Hogs, on foot, 2½¢ @ 3½¢; dressed Hogs, 5 @ 5½¢ @ 6¢.

DEMOCRATS ATTENTION.—All Democrats of the Reno voting precinct are requested to attend a meeting to be held at Judge Young's office on Thursday evening, September 16, at 8 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of selecting 23 names to be voted for at the primaries on Saturday, as delegates to the County Convention.

NEW RULING OF THE LAND OFFICE.—In consequence of a ruling of the General Land Office that non mineral affidavits will be required from the State on selections of land, the State will in the future require from applicants non-mineral affidavits covering the land applied for.

Advice to Mothers.

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? If so, send at once and get a bottle of Mrs Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures dysentery and diarrhoea, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female nurses and physicians in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price 25 cents a bottle. fab. 21-awf-1v.

THE TOMB.

TEASLAND.—In Reno, Nevada, September 11, 1886, Mrs. Mary Ann Teasland, a native of Newburyport, Massachusetts, and wife of George Teasland, Sr., aged 79 years, 11 months and 9 days.

KLINE.—In Reno, Sept. 14, 1886, Elmer E. Kline, infant son of Fred. and H. A. Kline. The funeral will take place to-day at 2 o'clock P. M., from the residence of the parents, corner of Ralston and Sixth streets. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

HOLKINS GOLD AND SILVER MINING Company.—Location of works, Peavine Mining District, Washoe county, Nevada. Principal place of business, Reno, Washoe county, Nevada. Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees, held on the 14th day of September, 1886, an assessment (No. 3) of five cents per share, was levied on the capital stock of the company, payable immediately in U. S. gold coin, to the Secretary, at his office, at Reno, Nevada. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 14th day of October, 1886, shall be declared delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, the 13th day of November, 1886, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. By order of the Board of Trustees. GEO. R. MOSHER, Secretary. Reno, September 14, 1886.

MISCELLANEOUS.



This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength, and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight, cheap or phosphate powders. **ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO.,** NEW-YORK. 106 Wall St., New York.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, Washoe county, Nevada. Notice is HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE County Assessor of Washoe county, Nevada, has completed the tax list or assessment roll, and has duly attached his certificate thereto, and delivered it and the Map Book and all original lists of property given to him to the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners; that the Board of County Commissioners will meet on Monday, September 20, 1886, as a Board of Equalization, and will hear and determine all complaints made in regard to the assessed value of any property within said county; and will change and correct any valuation either by adding thereto or deducting therefrom, if they deem the same fixed in the assessment roll either above or below the true value, whether said sum was fixed by the owner or assessor; except that in case where the person complaining of the assessment has refused to give the Assessor his list under oath as required by law, in such cases no reductions will be made by the Board of Equalization in the assessment made by the Assessor. The assessment roll will be kept open for public inspection at the County Clerk's office until after adjournment of the Board of Equalization. The Board of Equalization will continue in session from time to time until the business of equalization is disposed of, but said Board will not sit after the first Monday of October 1886, except that the Board of Equalization will meet to equalize the assessment roll and hear complaints in excepted cases mentioned in the Revenue Law, Section 19, 210 Laws of Nevada. T. V. JULIEN, Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners, Washoe county, Nevada, Sept. 10, 1886.

GRAND GO-AS-YOU-PLEASE MASQUERADE,

Under the auspices of the

Reno Cornet Band

—AT THE—
NEVADA THEATER,
Monday Eve., September 28.

ADMISSION \$1 00
GALLERY 50

FOUR ELEGANT PRIZES

Will be given as follows:
Best Sustained Character—Lady.
Best Sustained Character—Gent.
Most Original Character.
Best Home-made Costume.

FOR ASSESSOR.

C. H. STODDARD will be a candidate for Assessor subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

FOR CONSTABLE.

S. W. UPSON will be a candidate for Constable of Reno Township, subject to the decision of the Reno delegation to the Republican County Convention.

FOR PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

HARRY BROWN will be a candidate for Public Administrator, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

FOR COMMISSIONER.

S. C. FOGUS announces himself as a candidate for County Commissioner (Long Term) subject to the decision of the Washoe County Republican Convention.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR CONSTABLE.

JOHN HAYES will be a candidate for Constable of Reno Township, subject to the decision of the Reno delegation in the Democratic County Convention

FOR ROAD SUPERVISOR.

JOS. LONG announces himself a candidate for Road Supervisor of Reno District subject to the decision of the Reno delegation to the Democratic County Convention

FOR ASSESSOR.

E. C. SESSIONS will be a candidate for Assessor, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

FOR SHERIFF.

W. F. P. LYELL announces himself a candidate for Sheriff subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

FOR CONSTABLE.

LESTER G. LOOMIS announces himself a candidate for Constable of Reno Township, subject to the decision of the Reno delegation to the Republican County Convention.

FOR COMMISSIONER.

R. H. KINNEY, of Glendale, will be a candidate for County Commissioner (Long Term) subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

FOR ASSESSOR.

W. H. McINNIS announces himself a candidate for Assessor, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention

FOR CONSTABLE.

GEO. W. MERSHON will be a candidate for Constable of Reno Township, subject to the decision of the Reno delegation in the Democratic County Convention

FOR CONSTABLE.

ED. L. SEITZ announces himself as a candidate for Constable of Reno Township, subject to the decision of the Reno delegation in the Republican County Convention.

FOR DIST. ATTORNEY.

D. ALLEN will be a candidate for District Attorney, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

FOR COMMISSIONER.

D. S. EHLE, of Wadsworth, announces himself as a candidate for County Commissioner (Short Term), subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

FOR SHERIFF.

HUGH R. CAMPBELL will be a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Washoe County Democratic Convention.

FOR RECORDER.

C. O. PORTER, of Washoe Valley, announces himself as a candidate for the office of County Recorder subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

FOR DIST. ATTORNEY.

PIERCE EVANS will be a candidate for District Attorney, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention

FOR CO. TREASURER.

D. B. BOYD will be a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

FOR COMMISSIONER.

J. C. SMITH announces himself as a candidate for County Commissioner (Long Term) subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

FOR RECORDER.

J. B. WILLIAMS will be a candidate for Recorder, if nominated by the Democratic County Convention.

FOR SHERIFF.

R. NASH will be a candidate for Sheriff of Washoe county, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

T. V. JULIEN will be a candidate for County Clerk before the Republican Convention for County Clerk.

FOR SHERIFF.

D. H. PINE announces himself as a candidate for Sheriff of Washoe county, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.